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10. ☐ English translation Document (if applicable)

11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

14. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed.

15. ☒ Claim for Convention Priority ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s)

- a. Priority of Japanese application No. 2000-232792 filed on August 1, 2000 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
- b. Priority of Japanese application No. 2000-232793 filed on August 1, 2000 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
- c. Priority of Japanese application No. 2000-317768 filed on October 18, 2000 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
- d. Priority of Japanese application No. 2000-364799 filed on November 30, 2000 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
- e. Priority of Japanese application No. 2001-145760 filed on May 16, 2001 is claimed under 35 USC 119.

16. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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